GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2476
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TELEPHONE EXCHANGE IN ORISSA
BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any proposal for expansion of existing telephone exchanges in Orissa particularly in Cuttack district is under consideration of the Government;

(b) if so, the details thereof; district-wise

(c) the time by which this proposal is likely to be cleared; and

(d) the estimated cost to be incurred?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS(SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c): District-wise details of telephone exchanges to be expanded during 2001-2002 are enclosed at annexure.

(d) The estimated cost to be incurred is Rs. 345.84 Crores.

ANNEXURE

Sl. No.	Name of the District	Name of the Exchanges planned for Expansion during 2001-2002	Net Switching Capacity to be added
1	BALASORE	BASTA	1000
		CHARAMPA	1000
		BALGOPALPUR	500
2	BHADRAK	DHUSURI	664
		PDMAPUR	184
3	MAYAURBHANJ	RAIRANGPUR	600
		KAPTIPADA	184
		PURNA BARIPADA	184
4	GANJAM	BELAGUNTHA	200
		BERHAMPUR	7000
		GANDALA	664
		HINJILICUT	200
		NERANDRAPUR	632
		CHIKITI	816
		KANKARADA	184
5	GAJAPATI	R. UDAYAGIRI	184
6	KALAHANDI	BHAWANIPATNA	1000
		KESINGA	600
7	NUAPADA	NUAPADA	1000
8	KHURDA	DHALAPATHARA	632
		KHURDA	1000
		JANKIA	632
		BHUBANESWAR	15000
		BALIPATNA	184
		BHUSANDPUR	184
		MUGUMUNDA	184
		KANTI	184
9	NAYAGARH	NAYAHAT	632
		BEGUNIA	200
		RAJRANPUR	632
		SARANKUL	632
		NAYAGARH	1000
10	PURI	PURI	1000

CHANDANPUR 200
BALANGA 616
11 BOLANGIR TITLAGARH 1000
DEOGAON 696
BANGAMUANDA 184
12 SONEPUR SNEPUR 1000
BIRMOHARAJPUR 184
13 CUTTACK DHANMANDAL 216
CHHATIA 816
NIALI 496
OLATPUR 616
ATHAGARH 600
CUTTACK 6500
TANGI 1464
PHULNAKHARA 1622
BIRIBATI 1808
RAGHUNATHPUR 664
KABATBANDHA 816
KUNDAL 816
GOVIND PUR 184
MOUDA 184
NERANDRA PUR 184
NEMALO 184
NISCHINTAKOILI 184
14 KENDRAPARA INDIPUR 664
KENDRAPARA 1000
PATTAMUNDAI 600
15 JAJPUR DUBURI 616
JAKHAPURA 675
BRAHMABARADA 632
JAJPURROAD 1000
BARI 184
16 JAGATSINGHPUR JAGATSINHPUR 1000
BALIKUDA 200
KUJAJNGA 1000
TIRTOL 1000
17 DHENKANAL SUSUDA 1000
SIMINAI 760
BANTALA 664
MAHENDRAPUR 848
BAINDA 760
18 ANGUL KHAJURIAKATA 184
TALMUL 184
19 KEONJHAR ANANDPUR 600
HATADIHI 816
RAMCHANDRAPUR 184
RAISUAN 184
20 KORAPUT AMBAGUDA 184
21 RAYAGADA J.K.PUR 200
THERUBALI 632
MUNIGUDA 184
22 NAWRANGPUR KHATIGUDA 200
23 MALKANGIRI MALKANGIRI 1000
24 KANDHAMAL RAIKIA 184
BAUNSUNI 184
25 BOUDH BOUDH 1000
26 SUNDARGARH LTHIKATA 680
RAJGANGPUR 1000
ROURKELA 9000
27 SAMBALPUR RENGALI 488
BAMRA 184
KADOBAHAL 184
REMENDA 184
28 BARGARH BARGARH 1000
29 DEOGARH DEOGARH 184
30 JHARSUGUDA MCL 1000